EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1.   An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes
and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided
by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be
submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

2.   Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview
with Mr. Minjae Kang on 12/16/10.

3.   Claims 1, 33, 39-41, 73, 79-80, and 82-86 have been amended as follows:

1. (Currently Amended)   A method for providing a conference call, comprising:

creating, by a subscriber user on a user terminal, a conference call event
in a calendar application;

automatically configuring a conference call based on the conference call
event ;

identifying, without user intervention, participant users associated with the
conference call event;

notifying the subscriber user that the conference call has been configured;

contacting the participant users at the time and date of the conference call
event;

    providing the participant users with one or more options for declining the

        conference call, the one or more options including an option for

        declining participant users to specify a period of time to delay the

        conference call, wherein the declining participant users are

        contacted again for the conference call after the specified period of

        time expires;

    receiving responses from the participant users accepting or declining the

        conference call;

    establishing the conference call among the accepting participant users

        and the subscriber user based on the received responses; [[and]]

    receiving, from the declining participant users, selections of one or more of

        the options for declining the conference call<u>;</u>

    <u>recording audio information associated with the subscriber user and the</u>

        <u>participant users' participation during the conference call;</u>

    <u>converting at least some of the audio information to text information; and</u>

    <u>recording the text information in a transcript reflecting a textual temporal</u>

        <u>based representation of communications that have taken place</u>

        <u>between the users during the conference call</u>.

33. (Currently Amended) A method for providing a conference call performed by a

    server, the method comprising:

    creating, by a subscriber user on a user terminal, a conference call event

        in a calendar application;

automatically configuring the conference call based on the conference call
event;

identifying, without user intervention, the participant users associated with
the conference call event;

collecting contact information for the participant users;

providing a message including the contact information to a conference
server that is configured to instruct a bridge to establish the
conference call by calling the participant users using the contact
information included in the message;

notifying the subscriber user that the conference call has been configured;

contacting each of the participant users; providing the participant users
with one or more options for declining the conference call, the one
or more options including an option for declining participant users to
specify a period of time to delay the conference call, wherein the
declining participant users are contacted again for the conference
call after the specified period of time expires;

receiving, from a participant user that declines the conference call, a
selection of one or more of the options for declining the conference
call; [[and]]

receiving a response message from the conference server including
information associated with the conference call and at least one of
the participant users;

> recording audio information associated with the subscriber user and the
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> > participant users' participation during the conference call;
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> converting at least some of the audio information to text information; and
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> recording the text information in a transcript reflecting a textual temporal
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> > based representation of communications that have taken place
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> > between the users during the conference call.

39. (Currently Amended) A method for participating in a conference call automatically

> established by at least one or more communication entity, the method
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> comprising:

> > creating, by a subscriber user on a user terminal, a conference call event
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> > > in a calendar application;
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> > automatically scheduling a conference call at a predetermined time using
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> > > the calendar application, wherein scheduling includes identifying,
> > >
> > > without user intervention, participant users that are to participate in
> > >
> > > the conference call;
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> > receiving, prior to the predetermined time, an indication that a conference
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> > > call has been configured in accordance with the scheduled
> > >
> > > conference call;
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> > providing the participant users with one or more options for declining the
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> > > conference call, the one or more options including an option for
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> > > declining participant users to specify a period of time to delay the
> > >
> > > conference call, wherein the declining participant users are

contacted again for the conference call after the specified period of

time expires;

receiving, after the predetermined time, an indication that at least one

participant user has declined to join the conference call, and at

least one selection of one or more of the options for declining the

conference call; [[and]]

during the conference call, receiving an indication that another participant

user has ended communications with the conference call when that

participant user terminates a connection with a bridge that

establishes the conference call in accordance with instructions

provided by a server that executes the calendar application;

recording audio information associated with the subscriber user and the

participant users' participation during the conference call;

converting at least some of the audio information to text information; and

recording the text information in a transcript reflecting a textual temporal

based representation of communications that have taken place

between the users during the conference call.

40. (Currently Amended) A method for providing a conference call, comprising:

receiving a message from a first server including instructions for

establishing a conference call between participant users and a

subscriber user that previously created a conference call event in a

calendar application on a second server, wherein the second server

automatically initiates configuration of the conference call by

providing to the first server contact information for the participant

users and the message includes the contact information;

calling the participant users using the contact information included in the

message;

providing the participant users with one or more options for declining the

conference call, the one or more options including an option for

declining participant users to specify a period of time to delay the

conference call, wherein the declining participant users are

contacted again for the conference call after the specified period of

time expires;

receiving responses from the participant users, wherein the responses

reflect whether the participant users have answered, accepted, not

answered, or declined to accept the conference call, at least one of

the responses including a selection of one of the options for

declining the conference call; [[and]]

establishing a conference call between the participant users based on the

response received from the participant users:

recording audio information associated with the subscriber user and the

participant users' participation during the conference call;

converting at least some of the audio information to text information; and

recording the text information in a transcript reflecting a textual temporal

based representation of communications that have taken place

between the users during the conference call.

41. (Currently Amended) A system for providing a conference call, comprising:

a processor;

means for creating, by a subscriber user on a user terminal, a conference

call event in a calendar application;

means for automatically configuring a conference call based on the

conference call event;

means for identifying, without user intervention, participant users

associated with the conference call event;

means for notifying the subscriber user that the conference call has been

configured;

means for contacting the participant users at the time and date of the

conference call event;

means for providing the participant users with one or more options for

declining the conference call, the one or more options including an

option for declining participant users to specify a period of time to

delay the conference call, wherein the declining participant users

are contacted again for the conference call after the specified

period of time expires;

means for receiving responses from the participant users accepting or

declining the conference call;

means for establishing the conference call among the accepting

participant users and the subscriber user based on the received

responses; [[and]]

means for receiving, from the declining participant users, selections of one

or more of the options for declining the conference call;

means for recording audio information associated with the subscriber user

and the participant users' participation during the conference call;

means for converting at least some of the audio information to text

information; and

means for recording the text information in a transcript reflecting a textual

temporal based representation of communications that have taken

place between the users during the conference call,

wherein at least one of the means runs on the processor.

73. (Currently Amended) A server for providing a conference call, comprising:

a processor;

means for creating, by a subscriber user on a user terminal, a conference

call event in a calendar application;

means for automatically configuring a conference call based on the

conference call event;

means for identifying, without user intervention, the participant users

associated with the conference call event;

means for collecting contact information for the participant users;

means for providing a message including the contact information to a

conference server that is configured to instruct a bridge to establish

the conference call by calling the participant users using the contact

information included in the message;

means for notifying the subscriber user that the conference call has been

configured;

means for contacting each of the participant users;

means for providing the participant users with one or more options for

declining the conference call, the one or more options including an

option for declining participant users to specify a period of time to

delay the conference call, wherein the declining participant users

are contacted again for the conference call after the specified

period of time expires;

means receiving, from a participant user that declines the conference call,

a selection of one or more of the options for declining the

conference call;[[, and]]

means for receiving a response message from the conference server

including information associated with the conference call and at

least one of the participant users;

> means for recording audio information associated with the subscriber user and the participant users' participation during the conference call;
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> means for converting at least some of the audio information to text information; and
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> means for recording the text information in a transcript reflecting a textual temporal based representation of communications that have taken place between the users during the conference call,

wherein at least one of the means runs on the processor.

79. (Currently Amended) A system for participating in a conference call automatically established by at least one communication entity, the system comprising:

a processor for executing a program;

means for creating, by a subscriber user on a user terminal, a conference call event in a calendar application;

means for automatically scheduling a conference call for a predetermined date and time using a calendar application, wherein the means for scheduling identifies, without user intervention, participant users that are to participate in the conference call;

means for receiving, on the predetermined date and prior to the predetermined time, an indication that a conference call has been configured in accordance with the scheduled conference call;

means for providing the participant users with one or more options for

declining the conference call, the one or more options including an

option for declining participant users to specify a period of time to

delay the conference call, wherein the declining participant users

are contacted again for the conference call after the specified

period of time expires;

means for receiving a indication that at least one participant user has

declined to join the conference call, and at least one selection of

one or more of the options for declining the conference call; [[and]]

means for receiving, during the conference call, an indication that another

participant user has ended communications with the conference

call when that participant user terminates a connection with a

bridge that establishes the conference call in accordance with

instructions provided by a server that executes the calendar

application;

means for recording audio information associated with the subscriber user

and the participant users' participation during the conference call;

means for converting at least some of the audio information to text

information; and

means for recording the text information in a transcript reflecting a textual

temporal based representation of communications that have taken

place between the users during the conference call.

80. (Currently Amended) A conference bridge for providing a conference call,

    comprising:

        a processor;

        means for receiving a message from a first server including instructions for

            establishing a conference call between participant users and a

            subscriber user that previously created in a calendar application on

            a second server, wherein the second server automatically initiates

            configuration of the conference call by providing to the first server

            contact information for the participant users and the message

            includes the contact information;

        means for calling the participant users using the contact information

            included in the message;

        means for providing the participant users with one or more options for

            declining the conference call, the one or more options including an

            option for declining participant users to specify a period of time to

            delay the conference call, wherein the declining participant users

            are contacted again for the conference call after the specified

            period of time expires;

        means for receiving responses from the participant users, wherein the

            responses reflect whether the participant users have answered,

            accepted, not answered, or declined to accept the conference call,

at least one of the responses including a selection of one of the

options for declining the conference call; [[and]]

means for establishing a conference call between the participant users

based on the received responses;

means for recording audio information associated with the subscriber user

and the participant users' participation during the conference call;

means for converting at least some of the audio information to text

information; and

means for recording the text information in a transcript reflecting a textual

temporal based representation of communications that have taken

place between the users during the conference call,

wherein at least one of the means runs on the processor.

82. (Currently Amended) A secondary storage device or a memory including

instructions for performing, when executed by a processor, a method for

providing a conference call, comprising:

creating, by a subscriber user on a user terminal, a conference call event

in a calendar application;

automatically configuring a conference call based on the conference call

event;

identifying, without user intervention, participant users associated with the
conference call event;

notifying the subscriber user that the conference call has been configured;

contacting the participant users at the time and date of the conference call
event;

providing the participant users with one or more options for declining the
conference call, the one or more options including an option for
declining participant users to specify a period of time to delay the
conference call, wherein the declining participant users are
contacted again for the conference call after the specified period of
time expires;

receiving responses from the participant users accepting or declining the
conference call;

establishing the conference call among the participant users and the
subscriber user based on the received responses; [[and]]

receiving, from the declining participant users, selections of one or more of
the options for declining the conference call;

recording audio information associated with the subscriber user and the
participant users' participation during the conference call;

converting at least some of the audio information to text information; and

recording the text information in a transcript reflecting a textual temporal

based representation of communications that have taken place

between the users during the conference call.

83. (Currently Amended) A secondary storage device or a memory including

instructions for performing, when executed by a processor, a method for

providing a conference call comprising:

creating, by a subscriber user on a user terminal, a conference call event

in a calendar application;

automatically configuring a conference call based on the conference call

event;

identifying, without user intervention, the participant users associated with

the conference call event;

collecting contact information for the participant users;

providing a message including the contact information to a conference

server that is configured to instruct a bridge to establish the

conference call by calling the participant users using the contact

information included in the message;

notifying the subscriber user that the conference call has been configured;

contacting the participant users;

providing the participant users with one or more options for declining the

conference call, the one or more options including an option for

declining participant users to specify a period of time to delay the

conference call,

wherein the declining participant users are contacted again for the

conference call after the specified period of time expires;

receiving, from a participant user that declines the conference call, a

selection of one or more of the options for declining the conference

call;[[, and]]

receiving a response message from the conference server including

information associated with the conference call and at least one of

the participant users;

recording audio information associated with the subscriber user and the

participant users' participation during the conference call;

converting at least some of the audio information to text information; and

recording the text information in a transcript reflecting a textual temporal

based representation of communications that have taken place

between the users during the conference call.

84. (Currently Amended) A secondary storage device or a memory including

instructions for performing, when executed by a processor, a method for

participating in a conference call automatically established by at least one

communication entity, the method comprising:

creating, by a subscriber user on a user terminal, a conference call event

in a calendar application;

automatically scheduling a conference call at a predetermined time using

the calendar application, wherein scheduling includes identifying,

without user intervention, participant users that are to participate in

the conference call;

receiving, prior to the predetermined time, an indication that a conference

call has been configured in accordance with the scheduled

conference call;

providing the participant users with one or more options for declining the

conference call, the one or more options including an option for

declining participant users to specify a period of time to delay the

conference call, wherein the declining participant users are

contacted again for the conference call after the specified period of

time expires;

receiving, after the predetermined time, an indication that at least one

participant user has declined to join the conference call, and at

least one selection of one or more of the options for declining the

conference call;

      during the conference call, receiving an indication that another participant

           user has ended communications with the conference call when that

           participant user terminates a connection with a bridge that

           establishes the conference call in accordance with instructions

           provided by a server that executes the calendar application;

      <u>recording audio information associated with the subscriber user and the</u>

           <u>participant users' participation during the conference call;</u>

      <u>converting at least some of the audio information to text information; and</u>

      <u>recording the text information in a transcript reflecting a textual temporal</u>

           <u>based representation of communications that have taken place</u>

           <u>between the users during the conference call</u>.

85. (Currently Amended) A secondary storage device or a memory including

    instructions for performing, when executed by a processor, a method for

    providing a conference call, including:

      receiving a message from a first server including instructions for

           establishing a conference call between participant users and a

           subscriber user that previously created a conference call event in a

           calendar application on a second server, wherein the second server

           automatically initiates configuration of the conference call by

           providing to the first server contact information for the participant

           users and the message includes the contact information;

calling the participant users using the contact information included in the

message;

providing the participant users with one or more options for declining the

conference call, the one or more options including an option for

declining participant users to specify a period of time to delay the

conference call, wherein the declining participant users are

contacted again for the conference call after the specified period of

time expires;

receiving responses from the participant users, wherein the responses

reflect whether the participant users have answered, accepted,

not answered, or declined to accept the conference call, at least

one of the responses including a selection of one of the options for

declining the conference call; [[and]]

establishing a conference call between the participant users based on the

response received from the participant users; and

recording audio information associated with the subscriber user and the

participant users' participation during the conference call;

converting at least some of the audio information to text information; and

recording the text information in a transcript reflecting a textual temporal

based representation of communications that have taken place

between the users during the conference call.

86. (Currently Amended) A method for providing a conference call, comprising:

> creating, by a subscriber user on a user terminal, a conference call event
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> > in a calendar application;
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> automatically configuring the conference call based on the conference call
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> > event;
>
> identifying participant users identified in the request;
>
> notifying the subscriber user that the conference call has been configured;
>
> contacting the participant users;
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> providing the participant users with one or more options for declining the
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> > conference call, the one or more options including an option for
> >
> > declining participant users to specify a period of time to delay the
> >
> > conference call, wherein the declining participant users are
> >
> > contacted again for the conference call after the specified period of
> >
> > time expires;
>
> receiving responses from the participant users accepting or declining the
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> > call;
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> establishing a conference call among the accepting participant users and
>
> > the subscriber user based on the received responses; [[and]]
>
> receiving, from the declining participant users, selections of one or more of
>
> > the options for declining the conference call;
>
> recording audio information associated with the subscriber user and the
>
> > participant users' participation during the conference call;

converting at least some of the audio information to text information; and

recording the text information in a transcript reflecting a textual temporal

based representation of communications that have taken place

between the users during the conference call,

wherein at least one of the contacting, receiving, and establishing steps is

performed without user intervention.

4.   Claims 18 and 58 canceled.

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